

§ 665.602

outer boundary of the EEZ around the PRIA, with the exception of EEZ waters around Midway Atoll.

PRIA bottomfish management unit species (PRIA bottomfish MUS) means the following fish:

English common name	Scientific name
Silver jaw jobfish	<i>Aphareus rutilans.</i>
Giant trevally	<i>Caranx ignobilis.</i>
Black jack	<i>Caranx lugubris.</i>
Blacktip grouper	<i>Epinephelus fasciatus.</i>
Sea bass	<i>Epinephelus quernus.</i>
Red snapper	<i>Etelis carbunculus.</i>
Longtail snapper	<i>Etelis coruscans.</i>
Redgill emperor	<i>Lethrinus rubrioperculatus.</i>
Yellowtail snapper	<i>Pristipomoides auricilla.</i>
Pink snapper	<i>Pristipomoides filamentosus.</i>
Pink snapper	<i>Pristipomoides seiboldii.</i>
Lunartail, lyretail grouper	<i>Variola louti.</i>

§ 665.602 [Reserved]

§ 665.603 Permits.

(a) *Applicability.* PRIA. The owner of any vessel used to fish for, land, or transship PRIA bottomfish MUS shoreward of the outer boundary of the PRIA subarea must have a permit issued under this section, and the permit must be registered for use with that vessel.

(b) *Submission.* An application for a permit required under this section must be submitted to PIRO as described in § 665.13.

§ 665.604 Prohibitions.

In addition to the general prohibitions specified in § 600.725 of this chapter and § 665.16, it is unlawful for any person to do any of the following:

(a) Fish for PRIA bottomfish MUS using gear prohibited under § 665.605.

(b) Fish for, or retain on board a vessel, PRIA bottomfish MUS in the PRIA without the appropriate permit registered for use with that vessel issued under § 665.13.

(c) Falsify or fail to make or file all reports of PRIA bottomfish MUS land-

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ings taken in the PRIA, containing all data in the exact manner, as specified in § 665.14(b).

§ 665.605 Gear restrictions.

(a) *Bottom trawls and bottom set gillnets.* Fishing for PRIA bottomfish MUS with bottom trawls and bottom set gillnets is prohibited.

(b) *Possession of gear.* Possession of a bottom trawl and bottom set gillnet by any vessel having a permit under § 665.603 or otherwise established to be fishing for PRIA bottomfish MUS in the PRIA fishery management area is prohibited.

(c) *Poisons and explosives.* The possession or use of any poisons, explosives, or intoxicating substances for the purpose of harvesting PRIA bottomfish is prohibited.

§ 665.606 At-sea observer coverage.

All fishing vessels subject to §§ 665.600 through 665.606 must carry an observer when directed to do so by the Regional Administrator.

§§ 665.607–665.619 [Reserved]

§ 665.620 PRIA coral reef ecosystem fisheries. [Reserved]

§ 665.621 Definitions.

As used in §§ 665.620 through 665.639:

PRIA coral reef ecosystem management unit species (PRIA coral reef ecosystem MUS) means all of the Currently Harvested Coral Reef Taxa and Potentially Harvested Coral Reef Taxa listed in this section and which spend the majority of their non-pelagic (post-settlement) life stages within waters less than or equal to 50 fathoms in total depth.

PRIA Currently Harvested Coral Reef Taxa:

Family name	English common name	Scientific name
Acanthuridae (Surgeonfishes)	orange-spot	<i>Acanthurus olivaceus.</i>
	surgeonfish.	
	yellowfin surgeonfish	<i>Acanthurus xanthopterus.</i>
	convict tang	<i>Acanthurus triostegus.</i>
	eye-striped surgeonfish	<i>Acanthurus dussumieri.</i>
	blue-lined surgeon	<i>Acanthurus nigroris.</i>
	Whitebar surgeonfish	<i>Acanthurus leucopareius.</i>
	blue-banded surgeonfish	<i>Acanthurus lineatus.</i>
	blackstreak surgeonfish	<i>Acanthurus nigricauda.</i>
	whitecheek surgeonfish	<i>Acanthurus nigricans.</i>
	white-spotted surgeonfish	<i>Acanthurus guttatus.</i>